

STATE FLORAL EMBLEM

Mrs. L. A. King Talks About the Late Meeting in Butte.

CHOICE MADE THIS FALL

Different Suggestions Made at the Meeting for Obtaining a Public Expression of Opinion—Butte Root Leads Now.

Mrs. L. A. King, coworker for Deer Lodge county of the State Floral Emblem society, returned yesterday from attending a meeting held by the association in Butte city. Mrs. Matt W. Alderson, the state chairman, was present as well as many members from Butte and other parts of the state. Mrs. King says much interest is being manifested in the choice of a state flower for Montana, and many schemes have been suggested that will help to get a record of the will of the people in the matter.

A plan carried out in some towns is to keep a large register in which all those interested in the matter can inscribe their choice. This will probably be done in Anaconda. In Livingston, Mrs. King says the public schools are taking a hand in the matter, and devote so much time a week to the study of botany in order, when spring opens and the flowers are in bloom, they will be able to dissect flowers in a scientific manner, and thus be prepared to make a more able choice of a state emblem. Mrs. King intends interviewing the teachers of the schools here and try to obtain their cooperation in the work. In Butte the ladies have formed a botanical society and have entered into the study of the subject in earnest, and intend by fall to be well posted in the flora of Montana. There is no doubt a similar society will be organized in Anaconda, and with the best flowers of spring the society will commence studying the individual features of each plant, it being the intention to preserve a specimen of each flower as it comes into bloom, so that when the votes are cast next fall the members will be intelligently informed upon the subject. Mrs. King will visit Deer Lodge in a week or so and interest the ladies of that city in the matter, as they are so constantly surrounded in summer time by beautiful flowers, that they are naturally considered good authorities on everything of a botanical nature.

The meeting held in Butte demonstrated that the bitter-root was rather in the ascendency, though there were many champions present of other flowers, particularly the evening primrose, who pushed the claims of their favorites.

GOSLIN-GOOSE STORY.

A Yellow Boy in Deer Lodge Gets Into Trouble Over an Uncooked Goose.

Ah Goslin, a Chinaman who conducts a chicken ranch just this side of the section house below town, was arrested yesterday morning for stealing a big fat goose out of the McBurney stable yard. Vincent Wallace, who looks after matters about the barn, found a dead goose in the yard several days ago, the head being gone. Evidently the thief had been frightened away without his prize. Yesterday morning another goose was found missing. Clerk John Fisher of the hotel was notified by young Wallace, and after

securing the services of Constable Dave Sheffield, they returned to the barn, and from there tracked the Chinaman to his cabin. He was brought up to jail under arrest and a search warrant procured, when the constable and Mr. Fisher returned to the cabin to make a search for the missing goose. After a short time spent in going through the premises, they went up in the garret, and there, concealed under some sacks, was the prize—all dressed and ready for the oven.

Yesterday afternoon they brought both Ah Goslin and the goose before Judge Starbuck, and when the high constable uncovered the fowl before his eyes, the Chinaman came near fainting and immediately pleaded guilty, whereupon the dignified judge mulcted him in the sum of \$34.92, which was at once produced.

It is said the goose will be "cooked to a turn" this evening, when "a few of the best of them" will celebrate its capture.

PATTI ROSA COMING.

She Is More Amusing This Year Than Ever and Has a Better Company.

Patti Rosa, brightest and best of all in her line, comes to the opera house next Tuesday night and will be seen in "Miss Dixie," the most pleasing and successful play of her merry career. Her host of admirers here will assuredly be out in force to give welcome to their favorite, and the engagement will assume the interest and proportions of an amusement event. The bright little star will have many new features to introduce, and will regale her friends with new and catchy songs. Her company is, as usual, up to the highest standard, and as to herself, it will serve to copy what was recently said of her by a prominent critic:

"Of the star it can truthfully be said that she is not the Patti Rosa of yore. She is not the Patti Rosa of last season. Her singing is better, and her general demeanor more attractive than ever before. There is more rhythm and finish about her pranks and hoydenish oddities, and every vestige of crudity has disappeared. The enthusiastic poet who styled her 'The Peerless Patti Rosa' some years ago was a trifle extravagant, but she is reaching the point where his song seems to have been merely prophetic."

At the Montana.

Those registered at the Montana yesterday were: William Toole, Hamilton; G. P. Ronan, Arlee; John W. Fulton, St. Louis; J. A. Watson, Butte; J. E. Gaylor, Butte; J. B. Brown, San Francisco; E. S. Hooper, Philadelphia; John A. Baker, Salt Lake; George B. Jordan, Chicago; James Shields, Belt; Edgar H. Scott, Chicago; J. E. Dawson, Butte; S. H. Greenwood, St. Louis; E. Sharpe, Helena; Joseph U. Harper, Butte; M. L. Macdonald, Butte; Eugene L. Lezenzky, New York.

In the Municipal Court.

Della Latham and the Burns woman had another whirl in Judge Rockwell's court yesterday. Miss Latham charged the defendant with calling her pet names that are not found in the latest works on etiquette, and are entirely contrary to the city ordinances of Anaconda in such cases made and provided. The complaining witness did not make the case stick and the defendant was accordingly discharged.

At the M. E. Church.

The meeting at the M. E. church last evening was more largely attended than any since Sunday. The audience were deeply interested in the introductory sermon of the series being delivered by Dr. Raleigh, on "After Death! What?" The subject to-night will be, "Heaven as a Place."

ABOUT THE CITY.

The A. O. H. will meet to-night.

N. Y. Hess was in the city on county business yesterday.

E. E. Sisson and J. B. Dawson were visitors in Butte yesterday.

D. Tietjen has removed his cigar factory to No. 414 Maple street.

Born, March 1, to the wife of Max Hamerslough, a 10-pound boy.

Miss Mollie Dunn of the Boulder valley, is the guest of Mrs. D. D. Twohy.

Felding Bradford, the civil engineer, is visiting friends in the temporary capital.

Tickets for the Patti Rosa performance will be on sale at Smith Drug company's store next Saturday.

The Juvenile Templars will hold an interesting session in the Mattie block hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Barney McGinley received a fine painting yesterday of the French school. It is now on exhibition in his place of business.

Owen Garrity had a foot crushed yesterday by having some matter dropped on it at the works. He is now in the hospital.

A man named John Dule was thrown from a horse on Park avenue Wednesday evening, sustaining severe injury to his right hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Orton of Butte are visiting in the city. Mr. Orton is combining business with pleasure in the way of tuning pianos.

William Orestack met with severe injuries about the head yesterday received from a fall at the coal chute at the lower works yesterday.

The fight between the Standard and Florence Oil companies is now raging in the city. Several of the merchants said yesterday prices might tumble lower than they are already.

Con Bray of Lima is in the city, and may possibly conclude to make his future home here, having disposed of his Lima hotel. He has a large circle of old-time friends in the future capital, who will be pleased to welcome him as a citizen of Anaconda.

Billy O'Keefe, one of the most widely known printers in the Northwest, is lying very ill at the country hospital and little hopes of his recovery are entertained. He was sent here from Anaconda last week. As an "overland tourist" it is doubtful if Billy ever had an equal anywhere.—Silver State.

S. H. Greenwood and J. W. Fulton, representatives of the Simmons Hardware company of St. Louis, are at the Montana. Mr. Greenwood is quite an old timer in Montana, but this is Mr. Fulton's first visit, and represents the sporting goods of the firm. He has with him eight bicycles, some of which are built for two.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to Stagg & Gyllenberg are requested to call and settle before March 15, 1894.

Oil, Oil, Oil, Oil.

Cases, 20c.; bulk, 12½c. at Copper City Commercial Co.

The L. J. Baker company have evidently carried a musket in a coal oil war before.

THE KEARSARGE INVESTIGATION

Lieutenant Lyman's Explanation of the Cause of the Wreck.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—In the Kearsarge investigation to-day, Lieutenant Lyman, navigator of the Kearsarge, made the startling assertion that since the wreck of the Kearsarge he had reason to believe the Roncador reef is from three to five miles to the westward of its position as shown on the chart. He thought this from the results of an observation taken 20 minutes before the Kearsarge struck, and while camping on the key an observation was taken by other officers with results which confirmed his calculations. Lieutenant Lyman thought, however, that the chronometer used in making the observations on the key had been damaged in taking it ashore. The chart used was made from a survey taken in 1835 and Lieutenant Lyman thought the method of taking latitudes and longitudes in those days were not as accurate as now.

Lieutenant Lyman was asked to sum the reasons, as he understood them, for the wreck of the Kearsarge. "The loss of the ship was due partly to improper charting, partly to the currents setting in an opposite direction from that anticipated and partly to our not having sighted the reef before dark," said the lieutenant. This finished Lieutenant Lyman's examination and the court adjourned.

Air Line From Utah to Los Angeles.

DENVER, March 1.—The Utah and Los Angeles Air Line Construction company was incorporated to-day with a capital stock of \$100,000, with the following incorporators: George E. Hicks of New York, George P. Evans of Plainfield, N. J., and W. B. Preble and E. A. Lewis of New York. The object of the company is to construct an air line from Utah to Los Angeles. The principal office of the company will be in Denver.

Shooting Tournament.

The great Midwinter tournament promises to be a mammoth success. The State Sportsman's association is receiving inquiries every day from Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and the more distant counties of California regarding the coming tournament. Arrangements have been made for an ample supply of birds. There will be numerous events of great value to the winners, and the prospects are that the tournament will be by far the most successful of any ever given by the association. The programme will be out next week. The tournament will take place from April 4th to 8th inclusive.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of Stagg & Gyllenberg has this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. P. Stagg having purchased the entire interest of J. A. Gyllenberg in the concern will conduct and carry on said business.

J. P. STAGG,
J. A. GYLLENBERG.

Anaconda, March 1, 1894.

Oil, Oil, Oil, Oil.
Cases, 20c.; bulk, 12½c. at Copper City Commercial Co.

On the 15th of the present month the Union Pacific Railway company will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco and return, good six months at the rate of \$73 and to Los Angeles and return, \$82. Their route is 36 hours shorter via Ogden and 1 hour and 35 minutes shorter via Portland, than any other route. Office corner of Main and Broadway, Butte.

Oil, Oil, Oil, Oil.

Cases, 20c.; bulk, 12½c. at Copper City Commercial Co.

Call

At the C. O. D. store and examine the new lines of plain black and colored satines from 12½c up. Wool suitings, new spring styles, double width, at 25c. 3½c and 37½c a yard. Get our prices on muslins, sheetings, table linens, towels, crasheers, etc. We are showing complete new lines, and can save you money. C. O. D. Store, C. E. Root & Co.

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The College of Montana

Has the best conservatory of music in the Northwest. Students may enter at any time. The teacher of piano has been trained under one of the greatest German teachers. A thorough course is given in English, French, German, the classics and sciences. Special courses in chemistry and assaying. Terms reasonable. Address James Reid, president, Deer Lodge.

Hayes & Fox, successors to M. Martin wholesale and retail dealers in coal oil. Leave orders for coal oil at M. Martin's, 116 Main street or at our office, room one, Petritz block, Main street, Anaconda.

The Anaconda restaurant and short order house, No. 114 First street, is open night and day. Everything the market affords served promptly and in excellent style. Suppers for balls and parties a specialty. Call on us.

McBrayer whiskey leads them all. Largest stock at Ed Davine's 317 First street.

Watch cleaning \$1.50, mainsprings \$1.50. All work guaranteed for one year. Hamerslough's, 112 First St.

Deeds, mortgages and all legal papers properly made out by H. T. Mahan, notary public, room 3, Petritz building.

All orders left at C. C. C. store for Rock Spring and Galt Lump coal will receive prompt delivery. H. J. Allen & Co.

For Rent.

The brick store on First street, adjoining McKinnon & McKay's grocery store, with cellar and barn in rear. Also the store corner of Third and Cherry streets, at very reasonable figures. Inquire at the Kentucky Liquor store, corner of First and Cherry streets.

I. ROSENFIELD & CO.

The Wormell Institute.

Bookkeeping, mechanical drawing, writing, portrait work, and general art school. Open every day and evening. Room 8 Petritz Building.

For sale at a bargain, three 3-roomed houses. Inquire of W. C. Smith, 217 Oak street, Anaconda.

All the latest music received as published at the Ebert music store.

Twenty-five per cent. reduction on purses, pocket-books and ladies' hand bags, as we have to make room for an elegant line of new goods. L. A. King.

Do you want to rent a house? See H. T. Mahan, room 3, Petritz building.

Raymond Saille on and after March 1, 1894, will deliver ice at the following prices:
Hotels, restaurants and saloons, 40c per 100 lbs.
Private families, 75c per 100 lbs.
Meat markets, \$5.50 per ton.

Dr. Gutelius, dentist, office over Smith Drug Co.'s store.

List your property for sale with H. T. Mahan, room 3, Petritz building.

If you want to sell your property, see H. T. Mahan, room 3, Petritz building.

If you have a vacant house to rent, see H. T. Mahan, room 3, Petritz building.

COAL OIL, COAL OIL.
BEST QUALITY.
Bulk Oil 15 Cents Per Gallon.
Case Oil, Per Five Gallon Can, \$1.15.
Case Oil Per Ten Gallon Case, \$2.30.
L. J. Baker Company,
313 First St., Anaconda.

THE LATEST NOVELTY

All the principal Views of Anaconda
ON DRESDEN CHINA
Assorted patterns of Coffee, Tea and Moustache Cups, Plates, Dishes, Pitchers, Etc. Also a large variety of Jewels and Watches suitable for the Holidays.

KEPPLER JEWELRY COMPANY

Successor to J. C. Keppler
ANACONDA

OH, YES. CERTAINLY.

There must be pioneers in everything. The way out of the wilderness of high prices must be "blazed" by somebody. When we began the process of pulverizing prices in the town we hardly hoped that we would find so many followers. Now an occasional echo from the rear shows that they're "a-comin'," but nothing drowns the noise of

Blows Like These.

Outing Flannels.

New Style, New Colorings. This Week 5c a Yard

New Spring Prints.

The Latest Effects. Sixteen yards for \$1.00

New Styles in Light Calicos. Twenty yards for \$1.00

A good, fine, soft finish, Bleached Muslin; 16 yards for \$1.00

Turkish Towels.

A good large Towel, only 12½c Each

Extra large Turkish Towel, this week 25c Each

Bed Spreads.

A large, white, Crochet Quilt, this week 75c

An extra large, white, Crochet Quilt, this week \$1.00

A Boys' Hat and Watch Given Away With Every Boys' Suit Purchased This Week.

COPPER CITY COMMERCIAL COMPANY.

STILL "A-COMIN'."

That's what they are. It was our old friend Patrick Henry, who remarked upon an historical occasion, "The next gale that sweeps from the north will bring to our ears," etc. Now, every time you hear the roar and rattle of a freight train let the idea strike you that we are getting more new goods. Here's a few specimen nuggets from the last new lot.

SEE THEM TO-DAY.

New Dress Goods, New Silks

In all the latest colorings, Henrietta's, Serges, Diagonals, Whip Cord.

NEW WASH FABRICS.

Fancy Ducks, Crepoline, Shantung Pongee,
Japonett Gingham, Shantung Pongee,
Scone Bateste, Fayal Crepe,
Llama Cloth, French Satines,
Zephyrs Calicoes, Sea Island Shirtings,
Printed Dimity.

NEW WHITE GOODS.

Doted Swiss, Hanover Stripes, Mausseline De Chine,
Krinkle Stripe, Saragossa Stripe,
Check Nainsooks, Linon De Dacca,
Swiss Mullis, India Dimity,
Organdys.

New Embroideries, New Laces.